

Synopsis of Preceding Chapters.

AN ORIGINAL STORY.

At last Maryelous Anderson, the Great San Francisco Investi gator, is "In a hole." Prof. John S. Welch, grammar grade supervisor of the public schools of this city, who contributes Chapter VIII of the "Great Salt Lake Mystery" this morning, has certainly evolved a remarkable series of events in his entanglement of the hero, heroine and stealthy villains-who somehow or other always seem to win out With the Great Investigator at such a disadvantage, we are wondering how he will ever again appear on the surface-but wait!-Fergu-

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Stark, a retired mining man of Sait
Lake City, his wife and nineteen-yearold daughter, Gladys. The trie have
left Sait Lake, registered at the St.
Francis in San Prancisco, and a few
hours later the entire party are chloroformed, and Captain Stark is robbed
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Manager Woods of the St. Francis, and
dering to investigation Gladys sudderly disappears, leaving no clue as to
her wherehouts. Sherity afterwards
Ferguson Thorne, her Salt Lake sweetheart, arrives, and Mayvelous Anderson
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In Chapter III, Mr, Charles S. Pull ver, a former newspaper man, introduces a novel situation when he turns the ealeium of suspicion on Ferguson Thorne. He permits Marvelous Anderson to make a flat accusation against Gladys' sweetheart, but at the very climax Anderson hears the frantic voice of Ghalys over the phone, telling him that the tell-tale pin worn by Thorne was given him by herself less than a week previous, Girl supposed to be Gladys Stark leaves note for captain Stark at St. Francis and then again mysteriously disappears. Anderson returns to hotel with Captain Stark and Thorne, and is intercepted by a priest, who mands Captain Stark and Thorne, and is intercepted by a priest, who mands Captain Stark and Thorne, and is intercepted by a priest, who mands Captain Stark as St. Francis and then again mysteriously disappears. Anderson the mark the spoken thought of Ferguson Thorne. The Mysterious Stranger quickly stepped forward, assisting her to her feet, and stood half supporting her with one stood half supporting her with one

be completely solved in a very few hours.

In Chapter V, written by A. S. Fowler, private secretary to Mayor Bransford, Marvelous Anderson meditates upon the various theories thus far adduced in the perplexing mystery he is mentally endeavoring to solve. He has an argument with House Detective Rolmes and later breaks off all relations with Captain Stark. He discontinuously and the complete of the same of the chief of Police.

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Mr. Charles V. Worthington, advertising manager of the Keith-O'Brien company, who contributes chapter vi, presents a story full of rapid-fire action. We discover the big automobile followed by Maryelous Anderson in the taxing. The charse is a short one, the taxing. The charse is a short one, the taxing hases in the race. Fergusus must and woman to the Chinatown notions does, where, on the promise that he confess to the robbery of Capt. Stark a property, that Ghady Stark be released. Thorne agrees, makes confession in presence of two womens, after of whom, at the dramatic finile.

released. Therme agrees, makes confession in presence of two women, also, some one you have seen, consider the dramatic finale, raises her veil, and Thorne is sure that the finale process of two womens, also, some one you have seen, conversed with, accompanied on an automobile trip.

Thorne nodded an affirmative detection of the root in the second with a companied on an automobile trip.

you confessed the crime against me, my property, and my child,

The activities of the day cause more are they not !" Thorne was forced to acknowledge the accuracy of the Captain's well at night is sure of the necessary information, but was about to repairs, other things being right, to make each day a time of usefulness and living a real of the circumstances under living a real of the circumstances. which that confession had been But let insemning get hold of you.

and the strangle begins of trying to work with a machine out of repair. A Nebr. woman's experience with coffee as a producer of insemnia is interest. "Oh, Ferguson, how could you?" made, when Gladys interrupted in A an agony and anquish of spirit;

DURING SLEEP

Nature Repairs the Human Engine.

engine, which is repaired at night dur-

living a real joy.

But let insamnia get hold of you.

man or woman who can sleep

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Schr woman a experience with coffee as a producer of insomnia is interesting. She says:

"I meed to be a coffee drinker and was so nervous I could not sleep at night before about 12 o clock unices I would take some medicine. I was under the doctor's care for about 5 years and my weight got down to 82 lbs.

"The doctor said I would have to quit drinking coffee. Then my father got me to try Postum which he said had done wonders for him. I am toat times, miss a beat, then beat so fast I could hardly breathe in enough air and I would get smothered.

"My tongue would get as stiff I could not talk and I could not hold a glass to drink from. Since I have been drinking Postum, in place of coffee, I can sleep sound anytime I he down, and I feel I owe everything to Postum. I now weigh 120 lbs. and am well."

Read "The Read to Wellville," in page of the real training point, she glanced about the straining point, she glanced about the straining point, she glanced about the

"There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

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a package of papers and hastily with draws.

Chapter IV written by Mr. Joseph E. Came, secretary of the Commercial clab, brings Marvelous Anderson again face to face with the mysterious priest. Anderson accountely discovers the presented of holy man' is wearing high processed and interest of the mysterious priest. Anderson accountely discovers the presented of holy man' is wearing high processed and interest of the mysterious priest. Anderson accounted discovers the presented of the mysterious priest and then turned them fully upon Captain Stark, and in a low, impressive tone that thrilled and chapter of the commercial interest of the ever-deepening mystery. For a few moments the great investing apparently baried in thought. Sudden the fully upon Captain Stark, and in a low, impressive tone that thrilled and chilled the hearers, said:

"Tell him who I am. Tell him who my mother was. Tell him who my mother was a few moments of deep thought, he stepped to the telephone that thrilled and the carried in thought. Sudden the processing the net and the recommendation of the ever-deepening mystery."

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Francis and was whirled away

Anderson Reviews the Facts.

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For a while the mind of the great detective was torn by conflicting ideas and emotions. He felt chagrined and humiliated beyond measure at the mere thought of having been so completely baffed just at the point when the whole mystery seemed about to be cleared away.

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His mind went over every incident connected with the case. Occasionally the driver would interrupt his flow of thought with the query: "Where shall thought with the query: "Where shall I drive to!" Mechanically he would answer: "Just drive on and let me think." Then back he would go to the

starting point.

The money instead of the securities, the robbers at the hotel, and at the Selt Lake City home; the appearance of Thorne and the disappearance of Gladys; the double of Gladys Stark and Ferguson Thorne; the mysterious stran-



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to silk finish robe quilt covering, in fancy, and floral designs; all colors, Friday, per 6 1-2c 6 1-20

### 45c Denims, etc., 18c

Art denims, art burlaps, Hungarian cloth, all 35 inches wide; used for couch covers, pillow \$4.50 gauntlet tan | \$1.00 ribbons; ori- | \$2.50 handbags. | Ladies', black | tops, draperies wall covers, white cuff, lined etc.; light and dark grounds; with white and in floral and oriental designs; Friday worth 30c and 40c a yard. Friday.... 18c

### \$2.50 Pillows \$1.29

Perfection pillows, filled with three pounds of guaranteed feathers, fancy art ticking cover; regular \$2.50. Friday . \$1.29

to be driven to the Bismarck, as be felt the need of added strength and in endurance for the task that lay be an

Is This Ferguson Thorne

his keen, alert eyes about the place, as was his custom, yet without seem-

ing to change his gaze. At a remote table in an obscure part of the dining room Marvelous Anderson was startled

to see three characters in whom he was

were the mysterious priest, the stran-ger who had disappeared so suddenly

rom Captain Stark's apartments, and Verguson Thorne! Was it really Thorne! That cardinal

certainly was not the one Ferguson tered an auto forme wore when last he say him; whirling away, historical pin, too, was missing, and

A Char

deeply interested engaged in carnest

He rubbed his eyes, shook kimself, took a second look. No! he had not been mistaken. The three characters an occasional work being audible to any one except the three concerned. The

As he entered the Bismarck he cast

#### COATS and OPERA CAPES NEAR HALF-PRICE

Luckily for you, it rained Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday; otherwise we doubt if there would be left one of those 100 coats and opera capes that our New York buyer sent on at 60c on the dollar.

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\$33 Coats, \$19.75 \$39 Coats, \$23,75 \$43 Capes, \$25.00 \$35.50 Capes, \$20

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From the present low price on over 300 black and color remnants you may deduct one fourth, or 25 . per cent. brings waist, skirt and dress; patterns in some instances to less than half price. 

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Present this coupon at stamp exhibit in our suit department on second floor and you will receive \$3.00 worth of stamps absolutely free.

trimmed stock collars; dainty ros

of cuching at top; claborate jet bu

### 35c Towels 16c

Heavy Turkish Towels; fine, large, thirsty fellows, with double thread; size 22x46-inch; limit 6 to a customer: Friday, only 16c.

## 35c Cotton Serges 10c

English worsted and cotton serges for dresses. These come in imitation of the woolen patterns. in plaids, checks and stripes, colors grays, browns, tans, etc.; regnlarly worth 35e. Friday, per yard, 10c.

for your friend, the Great Anderson,

asked the stranger. The priest's fea-tures relaxed, and he remarked: 'Bet-ter pay the price of eternal vigilance, even though we be eternally mis-

After this little diversion, the whis-

case. Finally the stranger called for their bill, paid it, and the trio left the room. Passing into the street they en

room. Passing into the street they en-tered an automobile and soon were

A Chase in the Night.

#### LADIES' NECKWEAR UNDERPRICED Wide range of lace and ribbe

Ladies' lace, net and ribbon stock collars, in handsome effects; head and butten trimmed; also hig variety of white and fancy embrohiered stock collars; 35c to 50c values.

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lace trimmed and embroidered stocks; exquisite net and batiste jabot stocks. Venice lace, bangle trimmings and soutache braid trimmings; regular \$1.25, \$1.35 and 

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50c values ..... 29c \$1.25 values ..... 98c 75c values ..... 59c \$2.00 values .... \$1.69 59c

allk gloves with ental, Persian, floral and plaid sliver and gun-atripe designs: metal, one and worth to \$1; Fri-day, per yd.— to \$2.50; Friday value: Friday Dence vests and

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outing Gennet mous Jerge alghtgowns. White Nottingham lace curtains, 234 yards long, 40 to 45 inches wide; regular \$1.00

Brass curtain rods, 54-inch extension, fancy metal ends; with fixtures complete; regularly worth 15e. Friday ......

a pair. Friday.....

in ordering his repast dispelled any anxiety that the nutterings of the priest had aroused, and laughing heart ly Thorne and the stranger both exclaimed, "Cheer up, old chap! You're In the meantime, shortly after Marylong your next." sing your nerve.
"Did you mistake his royal highness

In the meantime, shortly after Marvelous Anderson had left the St. Fraucis and while Ferguson Thorne was
valuely pondering on when, where and
how to begin, a messenger entered with
a note addressed to him. Hastly be
fore off the envelope. The note was
in Gladys's handwriting, but bearing
unch evidence of nervous distraction.
"Dear Ferguson," it ran, "forgive
my hasty speech. There is some but
rible mysters or tragedy hanging over There is some hat rible mysters or tragedy hanging over us and shaping our course which I are in the power of mysterious personness whom we saw in father is apartments. They were assisted by a priest. I am writing this by request. Tell father to accede to every domand made. neats. They were assemble to see that the first of the first open him. Tell Marvelous Anderson to to look as though something open him. Tell Marvelous Anderson to to look as though something open him. the historical pin, too, was missing, and yet there could be no doubt about it.

The build, the features, even the very mannerisms, all were those of ferguson Thorne. But how came he to be here? What was his motive? What could they be planning together? Were Thorne and the priest allies, concederates? Had they worked together to deceive him and frustrate his plans first car sped toward Chinatown. desist in his attempts to solve the mys happen quickly, if it wasn't itery. Do not search for us, and do not asperating finale selected by permit any one else to search. You are Welch. Head the story too

In another moment the distinguished forguns, and do not rever manuerisms, all were those of Friguson Thorne. But how came he isomobile and west succeding away in the same direction but at safe distance.

What could they be planning together What could they be planning together Were Thorne and the priest allies, confederates? Had they worked together to deceive him and frustrate his plans and had they seemingly succeded?

Well, he was still Marvelous Anderson, the man who knew not the meaning of defeat, and they would yet live to repent their short-lived trimuph, for type them? He surely would All this and much more passed through the mind of the Investigator in much less time than if takes to tell it.

The Distinguished Frenchman.

Anderson then wated himself at a convenient table, buried himself because the foor, listened—then in perfect since ampaign.

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woman, and Charles D. Remington, the Yen Kee opium joint, the incidents in Captain Stark's apartments.

Carefully he again linked together the chain of evidence and deductions. Then he tested each link to detect any apparent weakness. Finally intuition became settled conviction. He slapped his hand on his knee and exclaimed to himself: "I was right. The mysterious priest, man or woman, is the key to this added mystery."

Hailing the driver he gave directions to be driven to the Bismarck, as be felt the need of added strength and continue for some time, and ontinue for some time, the rose and passed quictly into the hall, held a whispered conversation with an attache, stepped into a booth and ordered an automobile. Then he cannot and disappeared. A few minutes later a distinguished is hall was darkness again and silvence. This succing as best he might for any sounds from above. Suddenly a light flashed and above at the mouth of the pit he cannot all the garage and fortunately and above at the mouth of the pit he discerned the features of the Mysteri and above at the mouth of the pit he cannot all the garage and fortunately and above. Suddenly a light flashed with the garage and siscerned the features of the Mysteri and siscerned the features of the Mysteri and successful and above at the mouth of the pit he chain and ordered an automobile. Then he cannot all the garage and siscerned the features of the Mysteri and above at the mouth of the pit he chief the pit he chain and ordered an automobile. Then he careful and above at the mouth of the pit he discerned the features of the Mysteri and above at the mouth of the pit he chief the pit he chain and ordered an automobile.

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Looking the place over d fully, Thorne was about to fore an entrance, when suddenly-